

## **Environment and Energy Committee**

*Draft Agenda for Meeting April 2, 2014*

7:30 p.m. Chevy Chase Village Hall

1. Annual report to the Board at the Annual Meetings—due April 10.

Highlights could include:

- Energy Efficiency—info dissemination through Crier and discussions with Town of Chevy Chase, University Park
- Landscaping –decision to make greenspace in the Village pesticide free
- Recycling
- Leaf blowers and two stroke engines
- Others?

2. Update on status of Committee/Commission Review

Moving forward on...

3. Energy Efficiency and Conservation

- Household Audits and improvements (with PEPCO rebates)
- Audit of Village Hall outstanding action items

4. Green Energy

- Solar panels on Village Hall
- Residential wind and other renewables to offset fossil fuels through PEPCO and Washington Gas
  - i. Groundswell and other community based demand

5. Tree Committee liaison

- Tree inventory in the Village
- Need for more documentation and transparency on tree takedown decisions

6. Recycling

7. Hardscapes and increased run-off—need for more awareness in the Village?

8. Lecture series

- Invite Chuck Wilson from University Park to make a presentation to the Board on solar panel installation on the University Park Elementary School?
- James Hansen to talk about Climate Change, co-sponsored by TOCC and Somerset, others?
- Environmentally friendly landscaping/gardening

9. List-serve and website development

10. Other Business?

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